AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

On page 36 of the specification, please delete:

AMD9903: Preparation of (1*H*)-Benzimidazol-2-ylmethyl)-(5,6,7,8-tetrahydroquinolin-8-yl)-[(1-aminomethyl)-benzoxazol-3-ylmethyl)]-amine (hydrobromide salt)

Preparation of 1-[N-(*t*-butoxycarbonyl)-aminomethyl]-3-hydroxymethyloxazole:

and insert the following:

--**AMD9903:** Preparation of (2-Aminomethyl-oxazol-4-ylmethyl)-(1H-benzoimidazol-2-ylmethyl)-(5,6,7,8-tetrahydro-quinolin-8-yl)-amine (hydrobromide salt)

Preparation of (4-hydroxymethyl-oxazol-2-ylmethyl)-carbamic acid tert-butyl ester:--